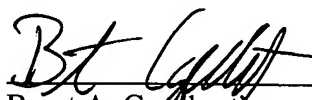


REMARKS

In the above referenced notice more than one figure is present and each figure was not labeled "Fig." with consecutive Arabic numerals and were considered unacceptable. Replacement drawings for these figures are attached. It is respectfully submitted that these drawings are in compliance with 37 C.F. R. 1.84, and 1.121. In the event these figures do not meet the formal requirements please consider them to be informal.

As set forth the above referenced notice, a fee was required for an additional independent claim, namely claim 20. On review of the claim it was noted that a typing error had occurred. The typographical errors have been corrected to indicate claim 20 is dependant upon claim 16. No fee is required with respect to this response. However should a fee be required please contact the undersigned. Claims 1-20 are currently pending. Upon review of claims 17-20 typographical errors were discovered specifically the dependent claims thereof. These claim have been amended to correct this error. The modifications to these claims are insubstantial to their scope and no surrender of equivalents is intended. No new matter has been added.

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